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Following the Office Action dated July 8, 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 14-16 and 23-27 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add claims 33-34 as follows.

33. [Newly Added] The system of claim 12, wherein the return mailer is a first return mailer, the system further comprising:

a label comprising an address of the return center and having an amount of postage sufficient to mail the product to the return center;

wherein said label is configured for being attached to the return mailer for returning the product to the return center or alternatively for being attached to a second return mailer if the product is not returned to the return center.

34. [Newly Added] The apparatus of claim 30, wherein the return mailer is a first return mailer, the apparatus further comprising:

a label comprising an address of the return center and having an amount of postage